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Irma Home Economics Class Present Full Scale Fashion Show

Members of the Home Economics class and their teacher, Miss Clark, entertained a number of the girls' relatives and friends in the auditorium of the Irma school on Friday last. This entertainment took the form of a display of work and year books made by the students and a delightful fashion show and silver tea. The theme of the display was "April Showers" and the stage of the auditorium was most beautifully decorated with shower and flower motifs.

Miss Lorraine Smallwood was mistress of ceremonies. Miss Shirley Jones took the part of commentator and Mrs. Helen Whidden provided suitable musical accompaniment.

After the year books and handicraft had been admired, the fashion show began. First, aprons, blouses and jumpers followed by dresses in varied materials and styles and all made by the students. Then "Broadway Fashions" were announced and the girls modelled lounging pyjamas, dressing gowns, beach togas, slacks, skirts, blouses, of tenniser dresses, suits and beautiful party dresses.

The friends and relatives all found this most enjoyable and were quite sure that Christian Dior never had models quite so sweet.

The girls who took the part of models were Lorraine and Marion Smallwood, Della Symington, Marlene Darling, Laraine Ford, Marjorie and Carol Matthews, Alice and Carol Fischer, Edith Gulbraa, Connie Owen, Darlene Veer, Kathleen Stockton, Evelyn Miles, Evonne Brown, Alice Tomlinson, Jean Darling, Doris Darling, Norma Willerton, Carol Lambert, Vera Prior, Nellie Cairns.

After the fashion show a lovely tea was served on tables all decked out with the finest in silver and china.

After tea a presentation was made to Mrs. Whidden for her help and to Miss Clark who is leaving shortly to be married. A vote of thanks was also tendered to Miss Della Symington who had worked very hard to make the afternoon such a success.

Miss Clark then expressed her thanks and said how wonderfully helpful and co-operative she had found the Irma folk during her work at the Irma school.

Mrs. Symington spoke on behalf of the mothers and said how much Miss Clark's efforts had been appreciated and how enjoyable the afternoon had been.

Mrs. Simmerman was then called on to speak for the other guests and she told how delighted she was to see the advantages that the young girls were getting and thanked them for the fine entertainment they had given.

So a very pleasant afternoon was brought to a close.

FACTS ABOUT YOUR HOSPITAL

Every boy and girl in the Mannville Hospital District today began life in a hospital. This is quite different from about 35 years ago when most babies were born at home in many cases with not even a doctor present.

Through the years the hospital has become more and more important in the community. As medical science has progressed in its ability to heal the sick, so hospitals have expanded their facilities to give doctors up-to-date workshops in which to treat their patients.

No one would want to live in a community where there is no hospital service available, for even though we often fail to realize it when we are well, it quickly becomes the centre of our existence when we, or someone we love, become ill or meet with an accident. Yes, hospitals are truly guardians of the people's health.

Long after factories and other businesses have closed for the day, the hospital in your community continues its never-ending fight for life. Twenty-four hours a day, every day in the year, the nurses, doctor, and other workers in your hospital continue their dramatic work ushering new lives into the world and returning health to the sick and injured.

Because of the wonders of modern medical care and the highly scientific equipment in your hospital, people live longer today than ever before. Many physical ailments which once would have meant long suffering are now cured quickly and surely. There are still types of sicknesses which challenge the skill of doctors and the facilities of hospitals, but great strides have been made, and continue to be made, for the betterment of the health of each one of us.

Hospitals do not operate as commercial organizations; they provide a community service. The affairs of your hospital are carefully guided by public spirited citizens of your community who give their time, energy and experience with very little in the way of recompense. The hospital is owned by the people of the community and they make no profits. The money to build the hospitals comes from the people themselves.

The Mannville Hospital was the first municipal owned hospital in Canada, in fact the first in the British Empire. It has given the people wonderful service and will continue to do so.

During the past year the question of replacing the present hospital building has been much to the fore. Naturally a modern hospital would be more adequate but whether a new hospital is built or not rests entirely with the ratepayers who provide the greater part of the costs.

The Mannville Hospital as it stands is a heritage that has been handed down to the present generation by the early settlers and pioneers of the Mannville and Irma districts. It is up to us of today to take over the duties and responsibilities of hospital work tomorrow.

—Contributed.

NOTICE

"A Clinic for the purpose of administering first and second Polio Vaccine to children who will be starting school in Sept. 1966 and to expectant mothers whose date of confinement is between June 1 and October 1 will be held in Irma Public School on Wednesday, May 18 from 10 a.m. until 12 noon. Beginners from Jarow and Batts districts are asked to attend this Clinic. No booster doses for previous vaccinations will be given at the present time.

Children must be accompanied by their parents or have a signed request for the vaccination with them."

Feb. 2, 1-4

Glen-Coa Gleanings

We are sorry to report that Mr. Fred Knudson is a patient in Wainwright hospital, after having a farm mishap.

Quite a number of visitors were seen in our community over the long week-end: Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Evoy and children of Edmonton were guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. Peterson. Mrs. Elise of Edmonton visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Gulbraa.

Miss Pat Pedel and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton and girls of Edmonton spent the long week-end at Geo. Pedel's.

While Mr. and Mrs. Don MacKay, Mary Lou and Baby Kenneth of Barrhead made it home for a visit with their folks.

Mr. Gordon Hollinger is working at present with a travelling crew at Strathmore. He also got home for a short visit last week-end.

Messrs. O. Raasak and T. A. Larson went to Edmonton on Saturday to take part in a shooting match.

A beautiful confirmation service was held at Sharon last Sunday at 11 a.m. A number of visitors came for this special occasion. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Likness and family, and Mrs. Harold Likness and daughter of Monitor, Mr. and Mrs. Albin Likness and family and Mr. Melvin Johnson of Consort, Mr. and Mrs. E. Corneilus and family and Mrs. J. Likness of Veteran.

Well over a hundred people partook of the fellowship dinner after the service. Several brought greetings to the young confirmations. A Bible was presented to each one; to Lorne by Carl Gulbraa on behalf of the Luther League; to Jack by Ralph Erickson on behalf of the Sunday School; to Edythe by Mrs. N. Fluevog on behalf of the Ladies' Aid.

Mr. Oren Spring, now of Edmonton, also spent the long week-end at his home.

CHURCH SERVICES

SHARON LUTHERAN

Sunday, May 27

Sunday School and Bible Class at 2 p.m.
Communion Service at 3 p.m.
Luther League at 8:30 p.m.
L. Knudson, Pastor.

THE ALLIANCE CHURCH

Sunday Services

10:30 a.m. Sunday School.
11:30 a.m. Morning Worship.
Monday 8 p.m. Young Peoples.
Tuesday 8 p.m. Prayer meeting.
Wednesday 8 p.m. Attend the Greater Wainwright Crusade at the Christian Servicemen's Centre.
Pastor L. D. Sheardown.

ST. MARY'S CHURCH NOTES

There will be Celebration of Holy Communion in St. Mary's Church on Sunday, May 27 at 2 p.m.

BEDDING OUT PLANTS

The Irma CWL are taking orders for bedding out plants: Cabbage and Cauliflower, 35 per doz.
Tomatoes, 60 per doz.
Alyssum, Asters, single, Petunias, Phlox, Portulaca, Snap, Stock, 50 per doz.
Pansies, Mix grants, 75.
Double Petunias, .96.
If you care to have prices on other plants, phone Mrs. Hubman. Phone your orders to Mrs. H. Bars, Mrs. E. Meyers, Mrs. L. Savage, Mrs. F. Drewecki, Mrs. L. Kashman, Mrs. Oraschki Sr., or Mrs. Hubman.

Plants will be in Irma June 2nd.

Card of Thanks

I want to thank all those who sent letters, cards, treats and flowers and also a thank you to those who visited me during my stay in hospital.

Mrs. A. James.

WITH THE District Agriculturist

By J. S. Duncan

Seed Supplies

Last years grain would nearly all germinate well enough to use for seed. This years may not be nearly so good. Farmers should make it a practice to always keep a years supply of seed on hand. This is not only insurance against a year when the grain won't make seed, but also gives plenty of opportunity to have next years seed cleaned and ready. It is an idea also to build a seed granary. This should be divided into bins of a sufficient number and size to hold the required amount of seed of all grain grown on the farm. If seed is to be cleaned on the farm it is a good idea to provide for cleaning space in the same building as the seed storage.

Farm Management

Every farmer is the manager of his business but in many cases we find that he is so busy doing chores and farm work that he has very little time for management. Too often we find that because something is going up in price that there is a swing into production of that item without much thought as to what the change may cost or do to other phases of the farm business. Good management involves the keeping of enough accurate records to find out what that particular farm can best produce and then basing production on that knowledge. A plan of operations is laid out which on the average and over a period of time, will produce the greatest net returns. A good plan has enough flexibility that it can be altered to suit changing conditions without interfering with the economy of the farm unit.

Bull Survival

The size of the litter at birth and the number which survive are important factors in deciding what profit there is in pigs. The experimental farms have kept records which indicate that the condition of the sow during pregnancy and feeding and management during pregnancy are very important in determining the size and condition of the litter. The largest and strongest litters are produced by sows which are not fat but are in thrifty condition at breeding time. The sows ration should be properly supplemented with protein and minerals during pregnancy and she should be fed so that she does not become too fat. Regular exercise is also important.

O.O.R.P. OFFICERS ELECTED

The Irma Anglican diocese district meeting will be held in the United Church May 29. About 20 delegates are expected and the OORP lodge will cater for a banquet to be held at noon. Officers were elected for the Irma lodge of the OORP recently. Those elected were: Eileen Prior, honored royal lady; Beatrice Jones, assistant royal lady; Betty Kirkman, lecturing lady; Jean Larson, secretary; Irene Drewicki, treasurer; Ruby McMillan, chaplain; Ethel McFarland, conductress; Donna Baran, inner guard; Elsie Coulman, outer guard, and Olive Murray, pianist. Trustees are Doris Allen, Nelly Johnson and Isabel Hutchinson. Members of the Elks have been invited to the installation ceremony for the new officers, which will be held in June.

Kinsella Elks Sports July 18th

The Kinsella Elks Lodge have set the date for their Sports Day, it's Wednesday, July 18. Keep this date in mind.

There are seven standard time zones in Canada and the difference in time between the Newfoundland and Yukon zones is five and one-half hours.

Southern Sayings

Mr. and Mrs. Lorne Muldoon and family of Prince Albert, Sask., were visiting friends in this district over the long week-end.

Mrs. Reed and George of Edmonton visited here with Mr. and Mrs. Buster Reed and also with Mrs. Fry at Wainwright during last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Hearn and Mr. Veda of Hardisty spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. Jackson.

Mrs. F. Foulkes and sons of Edmonton were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tomlinson.

Miss Vivian Archibald, Mrs. J. Peterson, Mrs. A. C. Archibald and Irene, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Jackson.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Hill and girls visited on Sunday at the home of Mrs. Hill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd of Kinlessa.

Northern Nuggets

Mr. and Mrs. David Bars and wife and Miss Frances Bars, Mr. R. J. Gower and Mrs. D. Smith arrived by car last Friday night from Calgary to spend the holidays with their respective families.

Mr. and Mrs. Schullian of Edmonton and Mr. and Mrs. Beckland of Stettler, sisters of Mr. Lorne Savage were holiday visitors at his home.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Loveseth, Miss Irene Myers and a friend enjoyed the week-end at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Myers. Cpl. and Mrs. Charron and Ricky and Miss Gwen Lambert, all of Calgary, were visitors at the Lambert farm.

Mr. M. C. Ambler has been home again for a few days. We understand he purchased a Short-horn bull recently at the C. G. Gallagher sale.

Mr. C. I. Currie is attending the United Church Conference held in Knox Church, Edmonton.

Mrs. V. Johnson and boys were holiday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Erle Prior.

Mr. and Mrs. Les Brady and family of Edmonton spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Larson.

On Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Ivan Hardy enjoyed a surprise visit from his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hardy of Minburn.

SHOWER HONORS RECENT BRIDE

Mrs. R. Gower, the former Edith Jones, a recent bride, was guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower held in the Albert school auditorium on Saturday night. The room was tastefully decorated for the occasion with pink and white streamers and bells.

The evening's entertainment opened with a sing-song with Mrs. E. Jones at the piano. An enjoyable program of contests, skits and games followed.

Highlight of the evening was the presentation to the bride of the lovely array of gifts by Mrs. P. Miller, a former school-mate, Mrs. A. Cook and Mrs. D. Smith, sisters of the bride, assisted her in the unwrapping.

In expressing her thanks to her friends, Mrs. Gower voiced the hope that some of them might find it possible to visit her in her future Toronto home.

A bountiful lunch served by the hostesses brought this happy occasion to a close.

The W.A. of St. Mary's have postponed their regular meeting for May and we would be very grateful if our members will hand in their Thankoffering to Mrs. Ron Thurston, our Thankoffering Secretary, so that same can be placed on the offertory plate at our Deaconry meeting on Tuesday, May 29. Thank you.

In the year ending March 31, 1966, benefit payments from the federal unemployment insurance fund totalled \$313 million. In the year payments into the fund from employers, employees, tax funds and income from investments totalled \$226 million.

EASTERLY ECHOES

The Roseberry FUA will sponsor a picnic on June 20 at the usual place and with the same full program of sports and fun and good neighborliness.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Solberg and family of Calgary visited at the Bill Veer home over the week-end. On Tuesday the Veer family visited Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tindall and family visited E. Fentons over the week-end.

CARENA NEWSPAPER CAR BINGO NUMBERS

B-7 2 10 4 11
I-28 24 30 20 21 18 19
N-36 44 34 31 33 38 43
O-51 55 58 57 54 48
Q-74 63 67 64 71 73

New numbers this week are:

B6, B12 and O62.
Watch this paper for further draws.

The name of the Bow River in Alberta originated from the presence on the river's banks of Douglas fir trees, from which local Indians made hunting bows.

KIEFER'S SHOWS at IRMA

Friday, May 25 8:40 p.m.

"JACK SLADE"
Dorothy Malone
A Mark Stevens Outdoor Picture.

Also Feature— "Visa-Visa Visits Norway." In Technicolor.

Friday, June 1 8:40 p.m.

"SEVEN LITTLE FOYS"
Bob Hope Technicolor.

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BROCK THEATRE

VIKING — ALBERTA
SHOWS AT 7:00 and 9:00 p.m.

Saturday - Monday MAY 26th and 28th

Gregory Peck, Jane Wyman in
"THE YEARLING"
Pulitzer Prize Winning Novel.
The love of a boy for a deer.
(Family Picture)

Tuesday - Wednesday MAY 29th and 30th

Paul Douglas, Ruth Roman in
"JOE MACBETH"
Scar Face, Dillinger—now, Joe MacBeth. Together they ruled the mob.
(Adult Picture)

OFFICIAL OPENING OF CINEMASCOPE

Thursday - Friday MAY 31st and JUNE 1st

Ann Blythe, Fernando Lamas, Marjorie Main in
"ROSE MARIE"

Thrilling story of the North West Mounted Police—based in the beautiful Canadian Rockies.
(Family Picture)

PLEASE NOTE ADMISSION
CHANGE—Adults 60c, High School 35c, Children (in charge) 15c.

Weekly Inspirational Corner

(Sponsored by an Irma Times reader)

Therefore we ought to give the more earnest heed to the things which we have heard, lest at any time we should let them slip.

For if the word spoken by angels was steadfast, and every transgression and disobedience received a just recompense of reward;

How shall we escape, if we neglect so great salvation, which at the first began to be spoken by the Lord, and was confirmed unto us by them that heard Him; God also bearing them witness, both with signs and wonders, and with divers miracles, and gifts of the Holy Ghost, according to His own will;

GARDEN NOTES

Plant vegetables at one or two week intervals is best

For a great many of the vegetables one can and should continue planting at two week intervals right up to the first or second week in July. Beans, corn, carrots, beets, lettuce and other quick growing or maturing vegetables are in this class. By spreading out planting, we spread out and increase the harvest and keep top quality coming along. With this late planting, it is advisable to speed growth with cultivation, fertilizer, and if necessary, watering in warm weather. At the fall end of the season, we can protect from the first frosts with some light cover of newspapers, old bags, or straw.

When the real warm weather starts one should make a few changes. In the flower and vegetable garden, a light cultivation once every 10 days or so will not only keep down weeds but it will conserve moisture and tend to keep plants growing and healthy.

Strictly Fresh

Bronze razor, dating back to the eighth century, B.C., was found recently in Ancona, Italy. Needed sharpening. Our barber's got one to match it in dullness, if not in antiquity.

An optimist is a man who believes that some method can be found to infect all TV announcers with laryngitis simultaneously.

Man across the desk from me says that the reason they call it



"spring cleaning" is that the job takes all the spring out of one.

go crazy trying to keep track of the children they've been longing to turn loose out-of-doors all winter long.

A bullheaded, opinionated person is one who subscribes to a different political theory than your own.

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even in really hot weather. Watering will probably be necessary in some parts of Canada now. Here a lot of mistakes are made by those unfamiliar with the likes and dislikes of plants. One thorough soaking of lawn, flower or vegetable garden, one that will take the moisture down a couple of inches, is worth a dozen sprinklings and it will last for some time. Sprinkling never gets the moisture down more than a fraction of an inch and the roots must come up to the surface to get it, thus exposing themselves more and more to drying and killing by heat and sun. Heavy soaking, however, does not mean turning the nozzles on full blast. The nearer we get to a fine mist the better.

Paths connecting upper and lower gardens or gardens with lower levels, may need some steps. These can be made in various ways: building stones, bricks, concrete blocks or cedar poles staked down with soil or gravel pressed in behind. For a better appearance one should not have more than three or four steps together, except, of course, where the slope is quite extensive, and two or three of such series can be linked with a little bit of level path. Also to add to appearances and interest, we can have the connecting path run at right angles to the steps.

Garden paths may be made of many different materials: flag stones, either natural or cast, concrete, bricks, cinders, gravel, or if traffic is light, a good piece of rough sod.

Where the lot is fairly large, a garden tractor and a power lawn mower will save time and hard work. These machines are not expensive and, given minimum care, they will last for many years. They will do the work at least five times faster than by hand. It is a mistake to purchase too large equipment, especially in tractors.

The smaller types are much more easily handled and with attachments will do almost every chore, except heavy plowing.

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Cigarette-smoking machine used in cancer-tobacco experiment

At the bottom of an abandoned dormitory shaft in the chemistry building of the University of Toronto a machine is smoking 600 pounds of cigarette tobacco a week.

Dr. George Wright, of the University of Toronto Chemistry Department, uses the tar extracted from the smoke by sulphuric acid solution filters, to carry on his investigation of a possible relationship between cancer and cigarette smoking.

The machine will take about four pounds of tobacco at once at cigarette depth—two inches. The tobacco is lit with a blow torch. Financed in part by the Canadian Cancer Society, Dr. Wright and his associates are separating tobacco tar into its more than 1,000 fractions, and sending each fraction to Dr. E. L. Wynder of the Sloan Kettering Institute, New York, who is experimenting with mice.

Dr. Wynder started the cigarette-smoking world three years ago by producing cancer on the backs of mice by painting them with a tobacco-tar concentration. Dr. Wright and his associates



ACCIDENTAL FUN — Child psychology invades the bandage business with marketing of these new, cartoon-decorated first-aid bands. Tears disappear in a hurry, the manufacturer claims, when small fry spot illustrated bandages.

Doctor claims abuse blood transfusions

Dr. J. Mitchell Dunn, who administered the first blood transfusion in Columbus, Ohio, in 1917, had a difficult time proving the value of transfusions to contemporaries then, but argues a different tack now.

"Blood transfusions are being used in too many surgical cases today," he said. "It ought to be saved for necessary cases."

Dr. Dunn said he will "never forget" that first patient, Charles Kieper, a coal miner.

"There had been a bad mine accident," he recalled. "He had lost a lot of blood. I had brought equipment for transfusions, a Klimpton-Brown tube, a glass tube-like contraption lined with paraffin so blood wouldn't stick."

"An intern volunteered to give his blood. We drew blood from the intern and pumped it directly into the vein of the miner. We had no blood banks then."

It was successful, and Dr. Dunn read a paper to a medical society. "They tore me apart . . . said parents 'ours got worse' transfusions," he said.

"Then transfusions became sort of a cure-all. Even tuberculous patients wanted transfusions. I don't want to hurt any drives for blood. Lots of people are living today who wouldn't be alive without the blood transfusions they had."

"But there is abuse, and blood should be saved for necessary cases and not be used in trivial operations."

Another use for ironing board

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Gray and Mrs. Carroll McCrea almost left their ironing board behind when they returned to Bellevue, Idaho, from a vacation in Fresno, Calif. Now they're glad they didn't.

Near Wells, Nev., their car skidded and rolled over. The ironing board pinned three Gray and McCrea children in the back seat, saving them from possible serious injury.

BE A COURTEOUS DRIVER

Dr. George Tomlinson and Dr. Joseph Robertson have proven that whatever there is in cigarette smoke that might contribute to cancer, it does not come from the cigarette paper. A year ago, two widely-publicized experiments indicated that burning cigarette paper produced a cancer-causing substance.

Dr. Wright points out that there is, as yet, no proof that cigarette smoking has anything to do with lung cancer. No one has succeeded in producing lung cancer in animals with tobacco tar.

SEW-THRIFTY

Quickly made wrap for your daughter



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Rare operation permits woman see sky again

A rare spinal operation has given 40-year-old Miss Edith Mann of Sydney, Australia, her first look at the sky in two years without having to lie on her back.

The operation involved surgically fracturing the woman's neck and resetting it with the head in an upright position. Known as osteotomy of the spine, it has been performed only a few times in Australia.

Two Sydney surgeons, a neurosurgeon and an orthopaedic surgeon performed the operation at a North Shore private hospital.

Miss Mann suffered from the arthritic condition of the spine, called ankylosing spondylitis. It prevented her from moving her head, which became fixed in a forward position so that her line of vision was directed at her feet.

She was warned before the operation that she might die during the operation, or that she might be crippled for life if it failed. Miss Mann said she did not think too much about the risks because she had so much to gain if the operation were successful.

BEDDED ON BOMB

A resident of Kiel, Germany, slept for 11 years on top of an incendiary bomb, it was discovered recently when he changed homes and the new owner discovered the bomb embedded deep in the floor, right under the bed. A disposal squad removed the bomb, which had been there since a raid in 1945.

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Runs car on unique liquid

A Tonawanda, N.Y., motorist says he runs his automobile on liquefied petroleum gas at nearly one-third less than the cost per gallon of gasoline.

Richard D. Voigt has driven his car about 50,000 miles and claims use of the fuel has saved him 50 percent or more in operating costs. What's more, he says, the fuel burns so cleanly that the crankcase oil doesn't get contaminated. He's actually changed the oil in the car only twice.

Voigt said he spent a little less than \$300 for parts in the conversion of the butane and propane fuel. By the flick of a switch, he also can run his car on regular gasoline.

Voigt stores his unique liquid propellant in two 20-gallon tanks in the trunk of his 1941 car. He gets good mileage, but figures he could get up to 30 miles per gallon if a higher compression ratio could be used.

Germs always with us

The germs of tuberculosis are frequently encountered by most people, who, however, do not contract the disease because their resistance is not low. TB may establish itself and remain undetected by the victim until intensive treatment is required to cure it. Where the disease is present, it can be discovered by chest X-ray and modern methods of treatment can almost always effect a cure. Chest X-ray examinations are available free of charge in Canada and they are no more trouble than an ordinary snapshot.

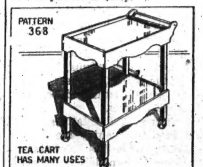
FOR YOUR HOME

Dutch windmill weather vane; handy tea cart

Two sizes for this Dutch windmill are given on the pattern in an attempt to comply with readers' requests for this project in heights from six inches to four feet. The two sizes given seem to be the most popular. Both are built up solid with workshop scraps. The top layer carries the weathervane and is pivoted to the base and roof so as to whirl freely in the lightest breeze. This pattern will



be mailed for 35c. It also may be ordered with the Weather-vane Packet of patterns ranging in size from small comic action windmills to large decorative weathervanes for barns and garages. The price of this packet is \$1.50.



TEA CART HAS MANY USES

Now, with all the wonderful heat-proof materials that are available at small cost, for the top and bottom of this design, the toaster, waaffle iron and coffee pot may be wheeled around the house wherever needed. This double-deck style is especially handy beside the dining table to hold vegetable dishes and dessert; to take care of used dishes and avoid those extra trips to the kitchen. Once you have this tea cart in the house many new ways will be found to use it. The pattern illustrates each step in sewing and assembling. Use fiber or rubber casters available at hardware stores. Price of pattern is 35c postpaid. Address order to:

Home Workshop Patterns Department P.F.L., 4485 West 5th Avenue, Vancouver, B.C.

Gives baby girl to woman admirer

A woman in London, England, gave a six-month-old girl held in her mother's arms. The mother told the woman she could have the child and she took her.

"I was so thrilled," she says, "I wanted to have a baby," the woman told a London magistrate recently. She said the child's mother told her she could not afford to keep the baby and because she was a Catholic she thought she could not get her adopted.

The woman's doctor called police when she took the child to him for advice.

The magistrate put the child in the care of the London county council while investigations were made to determine whether the woman should be allowed to adopt it.

PATENTS

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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY —

a few minutes to go

—By LOUIS ARTHUR CUNNINGHAM

PAISLEY always permitted himself a quiet smile before he entered Mark Bethune's office — a smile quite different from the one he wore when the door closed behind him and he walked over to Bethune's desk. The inside smile was the open, cheery, comradely smile that one gives to a lifelong friend; the outside smile was for a man whose wife has lied to him and who doesn't know it.

Today, the outside smile faded as ever, but the inside smile died a-borning: Mark Bethune was sitting lazily in his chair, fondling a dark, evil-looking automatic. He looked up briefly from his contemplation of it, nodded to Paisley, resumed his idle toying with the gun.

Paisley was glad he had looked away so quickly. Paisley could feel that his cheeks had gone white; they must have — just as his mouth had become dry and caked, his palms wet, his

inside sickish. Nonsense to feel like that. Bethune couldn't know anything about — He looked at the clock; it was ten minutes to twelve.

Bethune also glanced over at the side wall and noted the time. He coming ugly, unendurable. He broke the silence that was said, "Hello, Paisley. Nice day for a murder."

"Paisley, after a moment, heard a strange voice saying, 'You planning to commit one, Mark?'"

"I am. At twelve o'clock I'm going to shoot a man in cold blood."

"There — why you're joking, Mark!" the strange voice said, and it came to Paisley that it was his own voice. It sounded like a disembodied thing. "Whom would you kill—and why?"

"The man who" — Bethune

stared at the gun, rubbing its blue-black sheen with his thumb — "who took my wife."

Paisley felt the room whirl about him and the ceiling drop down to crush him. He had not moved from the door. He leaned against it now, his hand clamped on the knob, clamped hard so that it would not tremble like the other one.

"That — that's madness, Mark. You wouldn't make yourself a murderer just because —"

"Just because a man who professed to be my friend, who came to my house, ate my food, was a snake when it came to my wife! Oh, yes, Paisley, I decided on this course last night when I found some letters."

Paisley cursed Martha Bethune, damned her a thousand times for not destroying those notes; damned himself over writing them.

"But think, Mark!" — The sweat was beading on his chafy forehead — "think what it means! It — it will be all over it a moment — for him; no pain, no anything much —"

"Only death and hell, I hope," Bethune's teeth were white and cruel.

Paisley swallowed. He wished he could stop staring at the gun in Bethune's twitching fingers; wished he could find courage to look at the clock, courage to ring the door open and run. He couldn't think, couldn't pray.

He licked his lips until he heard them move, make them shape words again. "But you — you're the one who will suffer hell, Mark! You'll go to jail! You'll go to the chair! You'll burn!"

"He will burn first, Paisley. Just a few minutes more."

Time, for Paisley, no longer existed. He was like an object fixed in space, a space that imminently would shatter and burst in one hideous blast of destruction. He could hear the monotonous, heartless ticking of the clock, a lot of wheels and springs measuring out the time a man should live.

The telephone at Bethune's elbow buzzed. He picked it up, cool, untroubled, his eyes on Paisley but not seeing Paisley at all. He said, "Hello. Yes, is that so? Well, I'm very sorry—very sorry indeed to hear it." And he put down the telephone and smiled mirthlessly. "Just a minute to go and—"

Paisley broke then. His spirit, that had become a tortured, twisted thing, that had frayed and frayed and all but given, snapped suddenly. "That gun!" he screamed. "Put it away. I won't be murdered! No matter what I did, you haven't the right to—What about her! Isn't she guilty too? For God's sake, Bethune—think of what you're doing! We tried to fight it, Martha and I! We—we couldn't! It was too much for us!"

Bethune stared at him. The city clocks were "telling twelve. Bethune began to laugh — grim, terrible, almost riotous laughter. "Only a few seconds to go now. You fool, Paisley. It wasn't you. I never dreamt you had guts enough to steal a man's wife."

It was Gardner Phelan. He was to be here at twelve. That phone call said he had just been killed in a crossing smash. The blue-black circle stared implacably at Paisley as it rose slowly; stared, unstraight between the eyes. He saw Bethune's finger tighten. "Such a short time to go—and he got himself into it, while you got yourself into it, Goodbye, Paisley. Good luck." \$195



ROYALTY TRAVELS IN HIGH STYLE—King Mahendra I and Queen Raniya Devi travel on the back of an elephant as they arrive at a public celebration in Kathmandu, Nepal, following coronation ceremonies for the 36-year-old monarch. He succeeded his father, King Tribhuvana, who died a year ago. The royal elephant was preceded by a two-mile procession in the coronation fête.

Good broad jumping

By LORNE DAVERNE, President A.A.U. of C. (Sask. Branch)

The improvement in broad jumping in Saskatchewan has become

marked in the last few years due in the most part to the good coaching that is being done in various high schools throughout the province. Some of you, however, may be coaching yourselves which is undeniably most difficult, or you may be beginners in the science (and art) of coaching. For you I am writing.

Broad jumping is hard work. Practice has to be at almost top speed which limits the amount a person can do in a period. I would suggest 10 minutes' once a day which would assist your conditioning also.

To get distance in this event one needs running speed and height. Real speed means springing ability so a good sprinter is the best possibility for a good broad jumper. To get height you need spring or hop to lift the centre of gravity of the body as high as possible without decreasing the forward speed.

A fairly fast runner can be made faster by improving his running form so that no movement of any part of the body, for example, the shoulders or head, will impede his forward motion. Then he can practice short sprints of 30 or 40 yards at top speed emphasizing good form at every step.

The first part of this event is the approach, hitting the eighth inch board so the ball of the foot falls on the centre of the board. The following procedure works well. First: take the runway so your footprints can be seen. Place a marker about 50 feet from the board, a bright peg is good. Start back about 50 feet from the marker and run right through past the marker and the board without jumping. Repeat, starting from the same spot and running at the same speed. Check to see where your jumping foot hit the ground nearest the board. If you were two feet past the board then your jumping foot needed to hit the ground two feet back. Look for the mark of the jumping foot nearest your marker, measure two feet back from that footmark and move the marker to that new spot. Rake the runway again. Run through again watching the marker and hitting it with the jumping foot. See where you came in relation to the board. If you were nearly exactly right on the board, leave the marker for the time being where it is. We will call it marker No. 1.

Now lets establish the position

Not thwarted out of jail sentence

When postal inspectors of Jacksonville, Florida, told Albert Cole, 43, he couldn't be arrested for stealing mail because he had destroyed the evidence, Cole was crestfallen.

But not beaten.

"Just wait till tomorrow," Cole told the inspectors.

On the morrow, Cole telephoned that he had done it again. Inspectors found him with the evidence, arrested him and sent him to jail.

Cole explained he was penniless and wanted to go to jail "because the food is good."

The name of Palestine for the Holy Land came from the Philistines who once lived there.

GARDEN NOTES—

Try something new to add color, interest to borders

Usually on a special page of the seed catalogue will be listed brand new varieties and novelties. Among these will be the All-America winners for this year. These are new flowers and vegetables that in Canadian and American field trials last year were awarded the most points. A few of these will certainly add color and

interest to any border.

In the vegetable lines there are a whole lot of improved productions. New, faster growing and crisper radish, more tender carrots, new beans, beets, and corn. Over the years plant breeders have given us tremendous improvement in vegetables. Not only are varieties grown today far more tender than those of a generation ago, but they are also much earlier and more disease resistant. With these it is possible to have a good garden with much variety in areas where it was hardly safe to risk anything but the toughest things before. This progress has meant more to Canada than most countries because our growing season is so short.

Fertilizer

Commercial fertilizers contain three main elements: nitrogen, phosphoric acid and potash. These are usually indicated in a formula on the bag or box, thus 2-4-4 or 4-4-2 or some similar combination. The first figure indicates the amount of nitrogen, the second phosphoric acid and the last the proportion of potash. If, for example, we want to encourage green growth as in grass, lettuce, cabbage and such, we choose a fertilizer high in the first mentioned element. If it is root growth we are interested in, such as beets and potatoes, we use more potash. Sometimes certain soils are very deficient in one of these elements and we naturally select a fertilizer to remedy that deficiency.

Chemical fertilizer is potent stuff and it should be handled carefully and according to directions. Results are literally amazing. It will start flowers and vegetables growing quickly, will make grass green almost overnight. The safest way to apply to lawns and flower beds is to dissolve in water and sprinkle during or just after a rain. This prevents any burning injury to the grass or flowers.

With vegetables we usually sprinkle along the rows close to the plants but not actually touching them and then cultivate in.

Happy little man

As long as there was bannock in the pan, the bewhiskered little man was happy. He was a year late reaching Klondike, but once there he "mined" gold in most of the famous creeks.

As a rough and ready reader of the rocks he had few equals from Mexico to the Klondike and, like all miners, he believed he had a clue to where the untapped motherlode lay.

Giving funeral instructions, he

said: "Wrap me up in my old mackinaw and ship me down to Victoria where they will cremate me for \$40. Just lay me down on a log. Then scatter my ashes on the Klondike."

big ships pass on their way to the Klondike.

He left all his money—\$500 odd—to the Senior Citizens Home at Courtenay, 70 miles north of Victoria.—From the North Bay Nugget.

The new boy friend

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"Yes," she answered sweetly, "if you whistle he'll bring you your hat."

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3 tablespoons sifted all-purpose flour
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1/4 teaspoon lemon extract
1/4 teaspoon grated lemon rind
1 tablespoon water
1/2 cup granulated sugar
3 egg whites
1/2 teaspoon salt

MIX flour and BENSON'S or CANADA Corn Starch and sift together three times.

BEAT egg yolks with rotary beater until very thick and light coloured.

ADD vanilla, lemon extract, rind and water.

CONTINUE beating and gradually add 1/4 cup sugar.

FOLD in flour and BENSON'S or CANADA Corn Starch mixture gradually.

BEAT egg whites in deep bowl with rotary beater until foamy.

ADD salt; continue beating until stiff but not dry.

BEAT in remaining 1/4 cup sugar slowly.

POUR egg yolk mixture over egg whites and fold together lightly.

POUR into greased 9-inch tube pan.

BAKE in slow oven (325° F.) 1 hour or until done.

INVERT on cake rack to cool; remove from pan.

FROST or dust with icing sugar.



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TRY AND STOP ME!

By BENNETT CREEP

"I'm not sure," admitted Lawyer Beagle, "that your grounds for claiming a divorce are valid in this state. It's all very well to say your husband is careless about his appearance, but it seems to me—"

"I don't think you understand," interrupted the client. "He hasn't shown up in four years."

Quote from a high school weekly:

"How did your dad wise up to the fact we used his car yesterday?"

"Well, do you remember that fat baldish fellow we just mislaid running down on Fourth Street?"

"Yes, but what's that got to do with it?"

"That, my dear, was my father."

A wise-cracking colonel from Ottawa, Ill., ventures the opinion that pessimism in blowing out the light to see how dark it is. The colonel adds that this thought came to him in a crowded night club, of all places. Not that he could see the floor show. The tables squeezed him in at, in fact, was so far back that when he asked the man next to him what was going on, the answer was:

"How would I know, mister? I'm just breathing the real cutlets for tomorrow's menu."

After their wedding, the business man turned to his ex-secretary and said: "Well, my dear, I suppose I must get someone to take your place in the office."

"I've been thinking of that," replied the bride, "my cousin is just leaving school."

"Who's her name?"

"John Henry," said the bride, sweetly.

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Varied Problems At S.D. Meeting

Minutes of Board meetings of Wainwright S.D. No. 32 held at the office of the secretary on May 2 and 16.

Members present: F. M. Hill, Chairman; Dr. H. G. Folkins, R. C. Hissett, J. B. Allen, F. Zajic, E. R. Barritt.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and adopted as read.

Correspondence was read and ordered filed.

The secretary was instructed to secure Department approval for the sale of School Buildings at Education Point and Orindale.

Allen—that Mr. E. Edmund be contacted as piano-tuner for the Division for the coming summer.

Zajic—that permission be granted for an inter-school Football Tournament at Irma on Friday, June 1 and that, the buses operate for the conveyance of pupils.

Delegation of Mr. and Mrs. Morrow, Mrs. B. Belik, Mrs. E. Hagensen, Mrs. M. Paradis and Mr. E. Nyseth discussed with the Board the matter of payment for pupils who were boarding away from home while buses were unable to operate owing to blocked roads.

Hissett—that the Chauvin School Auditorium be rented free of charge to the Carmichael Lutheran Choir on the requested date.

Zajic—that Mr. E. D. Wilson's resignation as High School teacher in Wainwright be accepted with regret.

Allen—that the applications of Miss E. Milligan for the Giles School and that of Miss U. Gerloff for the Empire School be accepted for the months of May and June.

Allen—that the application of Miss Helen Sather of Czar be accepted for a position on the staff of the Wainwright School Division beginning on September 1, 1956.

Allen—that accounts for the month of April be approved for payment in the amount of \$37,563.97 and that the same be included in the minutes of this meeting.

Allen—that accounts for the month of May be approved in the amount of \$30,563.09 and that the same be included in the minutes of this meeting.

Meeting continued on Wednesday, May 16.

The matter of housing for School Principals was discussed.

Barritt—that the Chairman, Superintendent and Divisional trustees concerned investigate the feasibility of providing permanent accommodation for the principals of schools at Chauvin and Edgerton and that this committee report to the Board at the next meeting on Thursday, June 7.

Allen—that we purchase five new typewriters to replace old machines throughout the Division during 1956.

The sale of the Porter Lake School Buildings and those of Green Meadow will be decided

Mannville Hospital Board Meeting

Minutes of Mannville Municipal Board meeting held Thursday, May 17.

Present: W. N. Crooks, Chairman; Messrs. Coulman, Emmott, Hamilton and Young. Secretary read minutes of April 17 meeting.

Hamilton—that minutes of April 17 be approved as read. Cd. Mr. Maxwell, Supervisor of Municipal Hospitals was introduced and discussion followed on the proposed Dominion Health Scheme and the proposed new Mannville Hospital.

The latter the board was advised to ascertain latest population figures to arrive at number of beds needed. To arrive at the estimated cost. To pass the necessary by-law. To obtain approval of the Public Utility Commissioners. To advertise the scheme and hold plebiscite.

The question of debenture borrowing was discussed and Mr. Maxwell advised that the Dominion Govt. grant of \$750.00 per bed fund was exhausted, and may not be available for two years hence. The question of contracts with outside areas was discussed and the opinion was expressed that the new proposed health scheme outside areas would have to join existing Hospital Districts.

Chairman Crooks expressed thanks to Mr. Maxwell for information given. Secretary was instructed to obtain all necessary information in time for June meeting, June 19.

Secretary read following correspondence: B. H. Foster re extra special services; E. E. Maxwell re confirmation of Auditor appointment; Minburn Health Unit with analysis of Hospital water supply; Director of Assessments re building; R. G. Rudd re insurance; J. J. McLaughlin transferring hospital privileges to Al. Page; E. E. Maxwell re new hospital building; Applications for nursing staff positions.

Emmott—that correspondence be filed. Cd.

Emmott—that secretary advise in the next meeting of the Board on June 7.

Barritt—that gym equipment to the value of \$200.00 be purchased for the Wainwright Schools. Cd.

Board motion: that we apply immediately for permission of the Department to add two rooms to the Irma school on a day labor basis.

Hill—that old accounts as listed in the amount of \$400.87 be cancelled in accordance with instruction of the auditor. Cd.

Allen—that Mr. Hissett attend the next meeting of the Municipal Council No. 61 on June 14.

Allen—that administrative accounts be paid in the amount of \$49.32 and that the same be included in the minutes of this meeting. Cd.

Hissett—that we adjourn and that the next meeting of the Board be held on Thursday, June 7, beginning at 9 a.m. Cd.

Jarrow News

We are sorry to report that Mr. W. S. Jamieson is a patient at the Viking Hospital. We hope to see him about in a few days.

Miss Elvina Sones came from the city to spend the long week-end at the home of her brother, Carl.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. M. Burns on the birth of a son on May 17 at the Wainwright hospital.

Mr. Pat Muldoon of Prince Albert is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wright.

Maryanne Young is a patient at the Viking hospital.

Edward Orzechowski of the RCAF, Winnipeg, is enjoying a two week furlough at his home and visiting friends and relatives. Just now he is at Grande Prairie to visit with his brother Andrew and sister Mrs. S. Helfrich and family.

Lee Whidden is spending a few days with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Whidden.

G. Matthew is sporting a 1952 Chev.

John Cabot made his voyage of discovery to what is now Canada only five years after Christopher Columbus had landed in the West Indies.

tise in the Mannville and Irma papers that sons of ratepayers of 21 years of age cannot be considered dependants according to the Hospitals Act and are advised to take out special agreements. Cd.

Chairman read letter of D.P.H. re X-ray training scheme. Secretary gave financial statement.

Young—that financial statement be accepted. Cd.

Emmott—that Hospital Day be held on a day suitable to staff. Cd.

At this time Dr. Hasinoff was in attendance, gave report and answered various questions. He re-iterated the statement that, although the maternity wards may be empty, and the percentage of occupancy low, at times there is some difficulty providing ward space on the first floor to accommodate male, old age and surgical cases.

Coulman—that the accounts be passed.



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Public Sale of Lands Under the Tax Recovery Act R.S.A., 1942

MUNICIPAL DISTRICT OF WAINWRIGHT NO. 61

Notice is hereby given that under the provisions of The Tax Recovery Act, the Municipal District of Wainwright No. 61 will offer for sale by public auction at the office of the Municipal District of Wainwright No. 61, Wainwright, Alberta, on Thursday, the 14th day of June 1956, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, the following parcels of land:

Pt. of Sec.	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	M. Area	Pt. of Sec.	Sec.	Tp.	Rge.	M. Area
S. 1/2 S.W.	7	43	1	4	S.W.	10	45	8	4
N.E.	26	43	1	4	N.W.	25	45	8	4
S.E.	20	41	2	4	S.E.	36	45	8	4
N.W.	21	41	2	4	S.E.	2	47	8	4
S.W.	21	41	2	4	N.E.	10	47	8	4
N.E.	21	41	2	4	N.W.	19	47	8	4
S.E.	21	41	2	4	N.W.	32	47	8	4
N.E.	32	44	3	4	S.W.	32	47	8	4
N.W.	27	44	4	4	N.E.	32	47	8	4
N.E.	27	44	4	4	S.E.	32	47	8	4
N.E.	12	45	5	4	S.W.	3	48	9	4
S.E.	12	45	5	4	N.W.	15	48	9	4
N.W.	21	45	5	4	S.W.	15	48	9	4
SW.	21	45	5	4	N.E.	15	48	9	4
N.E.	21	45	5	4	S.E.	15	48	9	4
S.E.	21	45	5	4	N.W.	25	48	9	4
S.E.	28	45	5	4	N.E.	25	48	9	4
N.W.	18	45	6	4	S.E.	25	48	9	4
N.E.	18	45	6	4	N.W.	18	46	9	4
S.E.	18	45	6	4	S.W.	19	46	9	4
N.E.	8	45	6	4	S.W.	24	46	9	4
S.E.	8	45	6	4	N.E.	24	46	9	4
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S.E.	16	46	6	4	S.W.	35	47	9	4
N.W.	17	46	6	4	S.E.	35	47	9	4
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Dated at Wainwright, Alberta, this 15th day of March, 1956.

CHAS. WILBRAHAM (Secretary-Treasurer).

25-1-8c

NOTICE



THE ALBERTA LIQUOR CONTROL ACT

The Special Committee appointed by the Legislative Assembly at the recent Session for the purpose of reviewing the provisions of the Alberta Liquor Control Act in order to recommend amendments thereto, will receive written briefs from interested persons, groups, and organizations prior to June 1st, 1956.

Representations in support of the briefs submitted by organizations or groups only will be heard commencing June 18th.

Organizations and groups that submit briefs will be advised when to appear before the Committee.

Twelve copies of the briefs should be sent to: The Clerk of the Legislative Assembly, Legislative Building, Edmonton.

R. CREVELIN,
Secretary of Committee.

2-9-16-23c

Variety of Business Dealt With At MD Council Meeting

The Council of the MD of Wainwright No. 61 sat in the Council Room of the MD at Wainwright on Thursday, May 10, 1956.

Councillors: Dallyn, Castle, Garrioch, Patterson, Plaxton, Nilson and Archibald present. Reeve Archibald in the chair. This is the official record of the proceedings.

Garrioch—that the Minutes of April 3, 1956, be accepted as written. Cd.

Nilson—that this Council approve the actions of the Council as a Committee, meeting held April 19, 1956. Cd.

Finance

Dallyn—that the accounts as recommended by the Finance Committee be passed and paid.

Bylaw 523, approving a Supplementary Estimate for year 1956 of \$10,000.00 from 1955 Surplus Funds to Public Works presented, passed first, second and third reading. Cd.

Plaxton—that the account receivable re H. Marchand \$5.00 now ploughing be written off. Cd.

Administration and Taxation

Plaxton—that the Secretary be allowed vacation period at this time to accommodate the Assessor and Field Staff 1956 General Assessment. Cd.

Castle—that J. A. MacKenzie, Q.C. be appointed Municipal Solicitor at a fee of \$150.00 per annum. Cd.

Archibald—that the draft of the Jubilee Plaque as presented by the Secretary be approved and completed. Cd.

Reference to the proposed New Deal in Municipal Finance that the School and Hospital Districts be asked to submit their briefs to the Municipal office for consolidation. Secretary reported that a survey had been made on the Assessment of farm buildings and that other information asked for by the Assessment Branch of the Department of Municipal Affairs had been completed and forwarded.

Bylaw 524 authorizing the Expenditure of certain Grants other than charitable Grants presented, passed first, second and third reading. Cd.

Archibald—that all Municipal

purchases of Culverts, Tires, Blades, Rope, Batteries, etc. be purchased or charged through the Alberta Association of Municipal Districts. Cd.

Grants, Relief and Health

A delegation from the TWUA interviewed the Council re the Home for Aged and Infirm persons. After discussion the Secretary was instructed to set up Assessment figures, share of total and share of cost for the M.D. of Wainwright. Town of Wainwright, Villages of Irma, Edgerton and Chauvin and mill rate on 10 year and 15 year debenture issue and report as soon as this is available.

Archibald—that the action of the Secretary in having Mr. Clarence Nolan of Irma admitted into a Home for Aged and Infirm Persons be approved. Cd.

Bylaw 527 authorizing the expenditure of certain charity grants presented, passed first, second and third reading. Cd.

Agricultural Service Board

Agreed that a Meeting of the Board be called at the convenience of its members.

Plaxton—that the report of the Reeve re to the Tree Planter that the Irma Machine Works had completed the building of said Planter be accepted. That G. Hurst be paid a sum of \$600 at this time, the balance of \$100 at the next meeting of Council or/and when found satisfactory. Cd.

Nilson—that the W16 and NE 3-47-4-4 and SE 16-47-9-4 be leased to the Huttenloeh Holz Colony for Grazing purposes until March 1, 1957 for \$196.00 subject to the approval of the Provincial Government, other Ten-ers be returned, that a Bylaw be presented at June meeting of Governmental Approval is received. Cd.

Public Works

Patterson—that the notification from the Dept. of Highways that the 1956 Public Works Grant of \$65,000.00 be received and allocations notified. Cd.

Castle—that the paycheques be passed and paid when signed by the Councilor concerned.

Plaxton—adjourn. Cd.

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Announcement

The University of Alberta's oldest extension short course, the annual Farm Young People's Week, will be held again on the University campus at Edmonton, June 5 to June 14, 1956.

Farm young people of Alberta, either boys or girls, between the ages of 16 and 27, are invited to attend.

Kinsella News

Mrs. A. Milne is spending a holiday with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C. Burridge and other relatives in Calgary.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. T. Paget on the birth of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Davidson and daughter Marion of Stony Plain were the guests of Mrs. M. Reiz, for the week-end. Mr. and Mrs. Davidson were old time residents of the Overleigh district and were able to renew the acquaintance of some old friends still in the district.

Mr. and Mrs. K. Sandberg and family of Kimberly, B.C. were visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allan Barker during the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Brown and Messrs Bruce Davis and Bert Wilkinson enjoyed a fishing trip over the holiday week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Paterson were visitors to the city during the holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Carpenter and daughters Patricia and Alice attended the graduation of their son and brother Dr. W. B. Carpenter at Convocation on Thursday, May 17.

Mr. J. Lindberg is changing his position as section foreman on the CNR, and has accepted a position as foreman of the extra gang on the CNR in Sask. Mrs. Lindberg will reside in Edmonton for the time being.

Holiday week-end visitors have included Miss Yvonne Johnston, Miss Betty Olsenberg, Mr. and Mrs. John Beschell and Allan, all of Edmonton.

Please remember the W.I. will meet on Friday, May 25.

There were 765,000 television sets sold in Canada in 1955, compared with 624,000 in 1954 and 30,000 in 1950.

Good morning... I'm your Census Taker

When I call at your home during the next few weeks I will have only a few simple questions—the name, age and marital status of those living at your address. If you live on a farm, there are some additional questions about acreage, crops, livestock and equipment.

The information you give me will be kept in strict confidence. Every Census worker has taken an oath of secrecy. By Act of Parliament, the personal information gathered by the Census about individual Canadians can be used only for general official statistics. It cannot be disclosed to any government agency or private organization.

Canada is taking count to keep up with her rapid growth. Census facts are required to meet and plan overall national needs—schools, public utilities, welfare services, farm and industrial production, employment.

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Irma, Alberta

Early tillage on summerfallow shows value in dollar return

OTTAWA.—Results of tests on illustration stations of the Canada Department of Agriculture in the Swift Current district over the past seven years continue to show the value in terms of dollars and cents of the advantages of working summerfallow early and well.

There are many kinds of summerfallow practices carried on in southwestern Saskatchewan. Yields of grain on these have varied from field to field, and many farmers wonder why their field did not yield as much as the neighbor's across the road. The answer might be found in the summerfallow practices conducted the previous year.

On the illustration stations in southwestern Saskatchewan, an experiment comparing good and poor summerfallow practices on adjacent two-acre plots has been conducted for the past seven years. Records were kept of field operations, weed growth, and the cost of the field work. The latter includes machinery costs, gas, oil, grease, and labor.

For the good fallow, the first operation was conducted as soon as possible after seeding. For the poor fallow, the first operation was delayed until the last week of June. After the first operation both fallows were worked as often as required for good weed control. The results of these experiments show that the advantages of the good fallow practices were as follows:

- (1) Better moisture conservation.
- (2) Less weed growth and practically no viable weed seeds produced.
- (3) Less weed growth in the following crop.

GEMS OF THOUGHT

RIGHT

Right adjusts the balance sooner or later. —Mary Baker Eddy.

If mankind had wished for what is right, they might have had it long ago. —William Hazlitt.

I have never got over my surprise that I should have been born into the most estimable place in all the world, and in the very nick of time too. —Thoreau.

I must stand with anybody that stands right; stand with him while he is right, and part with him when he goes wrong. —Lincoln.

There never was a right endeavor but it succeeded. Patience and patience and we shall win at last. —Emerson.

No man has a right to do as he pleases, except when he pleases to do right. —C. Simmons.

Small flat crescents of velvet leaves, worn well forward, are a late-day fashion. Lovely for highlighting the bridal veil. 3195

- (4) The land was worked before it was dried out and subject to wind erosion.
- (5) A higher yielding crop was produced.

On the average, one more field operation was performed on the good fallow at a cost of \$0.70 per acre. However, this extra work resulted in an increased yield of 3.2 bushels per acre. This is a net return on investment of over 500 percent.

These experiments were made during years of favorable moisture conditions but a good job of summerfallowing still paid dividends.

WEEKLY BIBLE COMMENT

BIBLE IS TREASURE TROVE OF EXPRESSION

The Bible is a book amazingly rich in illustrations and figures of speech. There are literary devices to make meanings plain as well as to enrich the expression of thought. We are often given a statement of resemblance which may make vivid in a few words something that much explanation might only make more obscure.

Let us take, for example, one of the clearest and most effective figures in all Scripture, as recorded according to John.

Instead of saying "the disciple is one with me, we are from the same root, we have the same substance, we partake of the same beauty and we have a common part in the fruitfulness of good living," Jesus puts it all in a figure that appeals simultaneously to the eye, the heart and the mind:

"I am the vine, ye are the branches."

His listeners, all vineyard folk, grasp the fact better than if it had been expressed in a long sentence. They also understand that the vine is of no use unless it bears fruit.

Jesus thus links the lesson of the vine and of union with Him, self with the matter of bringing forth the fruit of Christian character and good works.

God has a meaning and purpose for our lives. It is that these lives should be productive and He is glorified when His children fulfill this purpose.

The test of our union with Christ is this fruitfulness of our own lives.

"Herein is my Father glorified that ye bear much fruit, so shall ye be my disciples."

THIS IS A MODEL, 1/25th actual size, of the man-made satellite which will be propelled into space to circle the earth. Attached to circular sphere, which is the actual satellite, is the third stage rocket which will give it its final push, then drop away. Officials of Project Vanguard in Washington say the space satellite probably will stay aloft for about two weeks. It weighs 21½ pounds.

Vikings among first settlers in Manitoba

Historians may debate whether the southern shore of Hudson's Bay was visited by the Norsemen and whether it was the mysterious "float coast with trees" called Vinland, but it is certain that descendants of the Vikings were among the first permanent settlers in Manitoba according to a British Union Press report.

Records in Winnipeg show that Thomas Douglas, Earl of Selkirk, founded the first white settlement on the prairies in 1812. He brought hardy fellow Highlanders via the long northern route to establish his colony on a 10-million acre grant of land from the Hudson Bay Company.

Among these original colonists were at least 15 Norwegians. They probably were men interned in England during the Napoleonic wars and were only too glad to escape imprisonment by coming to the new world. They are mentioned as helping build a road along the Nelson River after the immigrants had spent a whole winter cut sea locked in the ice.

Employed as boatmen

The group was led by Captain Even Holte. They were employed also as boatmen who transported colonists by water the 300 miles south to the junction of the Red and the Assiniboine rivers. It was a long journey up the Nelson River, across Lake Winnipeg and then on up the Red River to Fort Douglas, afterward to be called Port Garry where Winnipeg city now is.

The Norwegian group apparently split. Some remained at the northern end of Lake Winnipeg and built a small settlement and still bears the name "Norway House". The others came on to the large settlement, where they obtained land and farmed like the rest of the newcomers.

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Thriving Arctic cities with tree-lined streets seen by expert

"Thriving Arctic cities with tree-lined streets were visualized by R. N. Redmayne, general manager of Air Industries and Transport Association of Canada, at the close of the annual meeting of the Canadian Aeronautical Institute, here."

Mr. Redmayne, who helped coordinate the work of the commercial airlines in airlifting supplies to the DEW line, said that "anything could happen in the north."

Some enthusiasts would build a dam across Hecla and Fury strait to keep ice from the top of the continent out of Hudson strait. "They say it would bring a long navigation season, and maybe even summer holiday resorts, to the land of the Eskimos. It would be no more difficult, they argue, than the recently completed Canso Causeway."

"Others talk of using atomic energy to produce the heat which would warm northern lakes and rivers; they would hope to produce oases with thriving cities and tree-lined streets."

He pointed out that today, every part of the Canadian north can be reached by commercial airline service, with scheduled lines running through the Yukon and down the Mackenzie River, and held that the name of Captain Gerry McGinnis, of Maritime Central Airways, "should be recorded in the annals of Canadian aviation alongside those of the great early pioneers."

It was Captain McGinnis who landed the first aircraft on all but one of the sites on the eastern sector of the DEW line. "In spite of the rough snow surfaces and uncertain ice conditions, he completed the operation with his DC 3 accident-free," Mr. Redmayne declared.

Mr. Redmayne, who explained that winds and drifting snow were at times so bad that original air strips had to be abandoned and new ones built, pointed out that in 1954, it was rumored that Canadian commercial aircraft might have an opportunity of moving some 3,000 tons of freight from Edmonton into the Arctic in early 1955. Altogether, the spring airlift last year involved the movement of 42,000 tons of material and the use of several hundred aircraft of various types. As of June 1 last, USAF planes had made 534 flights as compared with a total of 2,192 flights by the commercial carriers.

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by Anne Adams

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This crib is easy to make with ordinary household tools and all metal fittings will be found at any hardware store. The pattern gives a list of materials and dimensions for the different parts and a large perspective sketch showing just how the pieces go together. The lamb pattern is taped to thin plywood so that the saw and painting outlines may be traced. Areas of flat color are shown on the pattern in natural gradation of tone to give the lamb a realistic effect when glued to the end of crib and the nursery walls. Pattern 357 may be ordered for 35¢ or it will be included in the Small Household Furniture Packet of five standard size patterns for \$1.50 postpaid.

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Strictly Fresh

The mystery of who put the overalls in Mr. Murphy's chowder ranks second, in our estimation, to the more pressing problem of who puts the flannel in the neighborhood restaurant's pancakes.

Politics makes strange bedfellows—especially during convention



time, when hotels in the host city sleep four and five to a room.

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Honey Bun Coffee Cake

1. In an 8-inch square cake pan, melt 3 tablespoons butter or margarine. Drizzle with ½ cup honey and sprinkle with ½ cup broken salted nuts.
2. Scald ½ cup milk. Remove from heat and stir in ½ cup honey, ¾ teaspoon salt, ¼ cup shortening. Cool to lukewarm.
3. In the meantime, measure into a large bowl ½ cup lukewarm water, 1 teaspoon granulated sugar.

and stir until sugar is dissolved. Sprinkle with contents of 1 envelope Fleischmann's Active Dry Yeast.

- Let stand 10 minutes, THEN stir well. Stir the lukewarm milk mixture and 1 well-beaten egg into the yeast mixture. Sift together once 2 cups once-sifted all-purpose flour, ¾ teaspoon ground cinnamon.

Sift dry ingredients into yeast mixture and stir until well blended—about 1 minute. 4. Spoon mixture into prepared cake pan. Cover. Let rise in a warm place, free from draft, until doubled in bulk—about 1½ hours. Bake in a moderately hot oven, 375°, about 35 minutes. Turn out of pan immediately. Serve warm.



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OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY— trap robber

—By KERRY WOOD

"The Devil Beast has been here!"

Og-hin-sha, the Stoney studied the trap-set, black eyes brooding on the havoc. Carefully hidden traps had been dug up, each one mockingly exposed and the bait taken. To make matters worse, the animal for which the Indian had so laboriously set the traps had come this way the night before and stopped only a dozen yards from the rined set. Had the traps been undisturbed, Og-hin-sha might now be putting a priceless pelt in his knapsack.

Instead, the evil wolverine had spoiled the set. Only a cunning wolverine would have dared to stalk onto a set and nosed out the chains, pulling each trap from its place of concealment. And bait once defiled by a wolverine was spurned by every creature in the woods.

Og-hin-sha gathered the traps and dropped them in his bag. The setting was ruined; he would have to try some other spot. On he trotted, his snowshoes clicking faintly as he followed the winding trap-line.

"The beast has followed my trail!" That meant the next set would also be ruined. There he had built a tiny log pen with a small opening in the roof. A marten set, with a dead squirrel for bait inside.

When he came in sight of this set, the Indian's face became grim. Because he had caught a marten, and martens skins were worth six dollars each. But the wolverine had come along and smashed the Stoney's log pen to reach the prize, and scattered bits of marten fur told the rest of the story. The vicious-jawed Devil Beast had torn the slender fur-bearer to shreds.

All along the trap-line the story was the same. The wolverine ruined every set. And whenever an animal had been caught, the trap-robber had ripped it apart to foil the trapper's gains. By the end of the day, Og-hin-sha's rage made him swear vengeance.

The angry Stoney worked out a wolverine set that was apparently too simple to succeed. A log-walled pen with a generous chunk of bait inside, with an opening at either end of the enclosure. A dozen feet back from the pen, he placed a large trap. A yard from this, still in line away from the pen, another. And a third trap a few feet farther back.

There was cunning in his plan. Og-hin-sha knew the way of the wily wolverine. The robber always stalked straight up to a pen-set, expecting to find the traps close to the bait. So the two openings that were trapless would bait the animal. Nor was there a trap inside the pen near the bait, and this would also puzzle the beast. Because the wolverine always seeks to find and expose the traps before it tatters with bait.

So when it could find no traps around the pen Og-hin-sha had built, the beast would become cautious. As a result, it would back away and circle the set. Walking around anything suspicious is characteristic of all animals; the wolverine being no exception. And when the Devil Beast circled the baited pen, Og-hin-sha hoped that the robber, eyes on the puzzling pen, would place an unsuspecting paw in one of the waiting traps.

The Indian built the set on the last of his three trap-lines that

radiated from his central cabin. The wolverine had already visited two of his routes, forcing him to lift the traps. Time enough to set them out again when he had caught the marten. For he knew that the widely wandering wolverine would shortly discover his remaining trap-line.

So he placed the simple set on this line, near the middle of the elongated loop that started and ended at his cabin. The animal would follow the trap-trail from whatever point it chanced to join the loop, and Og-hin-sha reasoned that if it discovered and wrecked several ordinary sets before coming to the robber-set at the end of the loop, perhaps the Devil Beast would not be so cautious then. Day after day he tended this solitary line, patiently waiting for the murderer to find it.

Then came the morning when he saw robber tracks again. Not wolverine marks this time, but marten prints. The tracks were indeed the Indian's own prints, but he scorned to believe that the thief was a full-blooded member of his own proud tribe. A wandering half-breed, skulking along honest trappers' trails and robbing their sets of fur. This thief had sneaked along Og-hin-sha's line in other years, and the Stoney's eyes gleamed when he recognized the hated tracks. "They were only a day old this time, and a day's start was not too great a lead," Og-hin-sha pumped a cartridge into the breach of his rifle and snapped on the safety before racing on.

Five sets the man had robbed before another trap-robber joined the trail. Og-hin-sha smiled grimly, reading the snow story. Here the wolverine he had been expecting had finally found the trap-line, and here the human thief, had stood, studying the new master's trail and probably cursing it because it would spoil his looting. For once, Og-hin-sha was glad to see the evil wolverine's tracks.

Both robbers kept to the trap-trail, the wolverine to plunder and the other, hoping the beast would leave the plundering to him. But the animal wrecked set after set, stealing bait and spilling fur. And one day behind the trails left by the two trap-robbers Og-hin-sha the Stoney swung along at a swift pace with his rifle ready for use.

The next set was the robber set—the end of a loop where he had placed the log pen and three traps to catch the wolverine. The Indian speeded, eager to see the result of his planning. And he was eager, too, to follow the marten's trail should he leave the trap-line when it curved back towards Og-hin-sha's cabin. The Indian was ready to follow, wherever the thief might go.

But the trail ended abruptly at the last set. Even as he had hoped, the wolverine had been baffled by the trapless pen and withdrew to circle the set. The first trap had caught the Devil Beast. Then the second trap-robber had come along, and the thief had on club and knife advanced to kill the cornered wolverine. Stepping close with his stick raised, the half-breed thundered into one of the two unsprung and hidden traps Og-hin-sha had set. The sudden snap of steel on his moccasined foot had undoubtedly hurt; he had jumped with the pain and surprise of it. And that jump had been his undoing. For the man had stumbled and fallen to the snow. He had chanced to fall close to the trapped wolverine, and in one savage leap the cornered beast had reached the breed's brown throat and used its vicious teeth to kill.

Og-hin-sha stared a moment at the dead man, then raised his rifle and shot the other trap-robber, the snarling wolverine.

"A good robber-set," muttered the Stoney, smiling grimly.

How to catch a cold

Colds are easily spread around by those who have them. For the benefit of the patient as well as others, it is wise to stay indoors, in bed if possible. Drinking plenty of water, milk and citrus fruit juices is helpful. Most important, the patient should keep away from other people, especially small children and infants. A disappalling nose should be held over nose and mouth, when coughing or sneezing, to prevent the spread of germs.

Flooding takes nitrate from soil

OTTAWA.—Many acres of low lying crop lands throughout the prairies are flooded every year for varying lengths of time during the spring run-off. F. D. Cook of the Soil Research Laboratory, Swift Current, Sask., advises that if spring flooded areas are cropped, 75 to 100 pounds per acre of 16-20-0 fertilizer should be applied at seeding time.

The productivity of excessively wet soils is influenced by biological changes in the soil resulting from temporary flooding. The most important of these changes is the breakdown of nitrate to gaseous forms of nitrogen which escape into the air. As a result the nitrates which might have been used by the plants are converted to a form of nitrogen that is useless for immediate crop needs.

This loss is brought about by a group of bacteria called the denitrifiers, which are present in every soil but are not active unless the soil is poorly aerated. In flooded soils, the air spaces are filled with water, resulting in a complete lack of aeration, an ideal condition for the activity of these bacteria.

The greatest losses occur in fallowed soils that have been under water. During the fallow period most soils will build up nitrate nitrogen equal to an application of from 45 to 90 pounds of ammonium nitrate per acre. All of this nitrogen which is available for crops is lost if the soil is saturated for a prolonged period.

This denitrification process is also influenced by temperature. If the soil is at 68 degrees F., the nitrates in fallow will generally disappear in two days; at 50 degrees F., in about one week and at 40 degrees F., they will disappear in about two weeks. Therefore it is not surprising that when fallow soils are flooded, no nitrate remains by the time the field is dry enough to cultivate.

Forfeit badge if found near flood waters

The city of Itasca, N.W. Terr., safeguards its children during annual Spring floods by appointing "high water deputies".

Toddlers to 12-year-olds are deputized with a large round badge after taking a pledge to keep away from flood waters. They also pledge to help keep other children away.

The idea was started in 1951 by the late Paul Kirchgraber and his wife. Their newspaper and confectionery store was near one of Itasca's elementary schools and Six Mile Creek.

The Kirchgrabers signed up 985 deputies the first year and during last year (1955) they had 2,380 members in the city of 7,200.

About 12 teenagers are appointed senior high water deputies. They make checks of the three creeks running through the town and the inlet to Cayuga Lake. If a youngster is found near the water, he forfeits his badge.

Each year the children are rewarded with a party sponsored by 14 firms.

FORMED BEFORE BIRTH

Fingerprints are formed four months before birth and the pattern remains the same through life.



HOUSE OF A DIFFERENT COLLAR—All dolled up in spring bonnets, two working girls exchange the latest word going around in the horse set at Anaheim, Calif. Sleek and well cared for, they pull horse cars, relics of another era, at Disneyland amusement park.



TAKE IT AGAIN — Russian Premier Nikolai Bulganin has a scowl on his face as he is caught by a photographer during an unguarded moment. Startled by the flash, he told the photographer through an interpreter to "Take it Again". The second time his face was wreathed in the smile now familiar to Britishers.

A.A.U. of C. News

(By LORNE DAVERNE, President Sask. Branch, A.A.U. of C.)

In Saskatchewan this year boxing, wrestling, track and field will take on an Olympic tinge. This year every boxer, wrestler and track man (and woman) will be imbued with the vision of a trip to Melbourne to compete against the world's best. Not everyone will be inspired enough to train seriously but year by year the amount of hard training increases and the ability and skill of our athletes improves.

In 1956 competitions have been so timed that summer-long training will be an advantage. The weather will not always be of the best but champions are made by fighting against obstacles. The athlete who wants to get into condition for his sport can do so if he tries hard enough.

In the following paragraphs I will give you all the information necessary for you to know when competitions will be held, where they will be, and whom to contact to enter.

Track and Field

School meets, Unit meets, District meets, as decided by those concerned.

Provincial High School meet, June 8 and 9.

Open meets—July 6 and 7 Canadian Championships for Juvenile and Midget Women, and Juvenile Men.

At this meet there will be events for junior men and midget men to round out a good program.

July 28 Saskatchewan open championships.

From this meet will be chosen athletes to attend the Olympic Trials at Hamilton, Ont., on August 24 and 25 and the Canadian Olympic Training Plan at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, from August 27 to September 3.

Athletes attending all or any of the above meets must have amateur cards. Those entering the open meets must obtain the proper entry forms and send them in by the proper date.

Amateur cards and entry forms may be obtained (fee 50c senior

Canadian statistics report

(A Weekly Review)

Foreign Trade: Canada's commodity imports climbed to a new peak monthly value in March, reached a total for the first quarter almost 20 percent higher than last year. Exports were slightly lower in the month, but up 9 percent in the quarter. Results for the month and quarter were greatly larger import surpluses.

Prices: Wholesale prices generally moved upward in March, the Bureau's general price index rising 0.5 percent to bring it to a level 2.8 percent higher than a year earlier. Main increases were in the metals, non-metallic minerals and chemical products groups. Prices of both residential and non-residential building materials shored in the advance.

Manufacturing: March reports show further gains in production and shipments of such building materials as gypsum products, floor tiles, mineral wool, hard board and rigid insulating board. February rubber consumption was up, and shipments of stoves and furnaces.

Food: Milk production in the first quarter this year was an estimated 6 percent higher than last year, and fluid sales 7 percent larger. Sugar sales by manufacturers increased over last year in the three months.

Traffic Accidents: Deaths from motor accidents in Canada (excluding Quebec) increased last year to 2,084 from 1,960 in 1954, and the number of persons injured to 49,828 from 47,020. Nova Scotia, Manitoba and the Territories alone had fewer deaths.

Merchandise: Wholesalers' sales in the first two months this year were 10 percent greater than last year, at an estimated \$1,021,414,000, with 14 of 15 types of business reporting gains.

Transportation: Railway car loadings were a sharp 18 percent higher in the week ending April 22 than a year ago, heavier grain loadings accounting for much of the rise.

Mining: Canadian coal production in the first quarter this year was larger than last year, in contrast with the trend of recent years, while landed imports were also larger. Output of primary copper, nickel, silver and zinc continued to rise in February.

OVEREATING

Much of the world's superfluous flesh is caused by overeating. Too much high-calorie food, especially if there is insufficient activity to expend the food, can add unwanted pounds. For anyone with a tendency to put on weight, a good basic diet is outlined in Canada's Food Rules. Between-meal snacks and too many helpings of rich pastries and cakes should be left out of the daily food intake.

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Man, condescended to God, may live a life of faith above fear and anxiety. To seek first the kingdom of God and His righteousness is to establish all of life upon an unshakable foundation.

It is the tragedy of our times that God-like man should choose to make himself so devil-like, destroying where the whole purpose of God and of man at his best is to create and build.

The Bible is a great revelation of what man and human society could be, if men fulfilled the character and destiny for which God made them.

JUMPY MEETING

A heated debate in the town council chamber at Outshoorn, South Africa, was interrupted abruptly when a snake was seen to slither behind the chair of the town clerk. He jumped up and the councillors jumped, too, and all joined in the hunt.

The intruder was eventually caught and duly dealt with, and the debate continued. 2194



JANET BLAIR, star of the films and TV, who has been signed to a long term contract for the big screen TV show. She will succeed Nanette Fabray who announced some time ago that she was forsaking her role as the comic's TV wife.

Alberta's Natural Gas Industry: THE REGULATING STATION



As temperatures change, so do the amounts of natural gas required by households, industrial plants, too, use varying quantities of gas during the day. Therefore each community has its own "Gas Load Requirements". Measuring and controlling quantities and pressure at all points on the company's 1,600 miles of pipeline is the job of the "Regulating Stations". The instruments at these stations are electrically connected to a Control Center. By watching them the gas dispatcher knows that natural gas is being delivered in the right amount — at the right pressure — for each consumer's needs.

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Local News

Mr. J. and Miss A. Donoghue are in the city this week where Miss Donoghue is receiving treatment at the University hospital.

Guests at Mrs. A. Engers home over the week-end were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Enger and Diane of Edmonton, Mr. and Mrs. R. Seguin and Philip of Mannville, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tedlock of Sedgewick and Miss Pat Enger from Edmonton.

Mrs. R. B. Kirkman and children were week-end visitors with relatives at Loughheed. Little Linda Kirkman returned to Irma with them.

Mrs. F. Foulkes and sons and Miss Marilyn Hill came from Edmonton to spend the holiday week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Hill.

Mrs. Hughie Kennedy who had been ill in a nursing hospital for quite some time is now convalescing in Edmonton at the home of her daughter Mrs. Brown.

Mrs. G. Holt and Charlie visited with relatives at Irma last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Gibson and daughters from Edgerton were Sunday guests with Mrs. J. J. Burrell.

Recent visitors at the Earl Tomlinson home were their son Gerth from Thorsby and Miss Phyllis Hildebrandt of Barrhead.

Visiting last week-end at their respective homes here were Valaine Lang, Doreen Simmermon, Shirley Mae Brown, Eric Dallow, Alan Rae and Austin Elliot, all of Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat McLean and family were recent visitors at the McTavish home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Palmers of Edmonton motored from Edmonton to spend Sunday here with the Barber families.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Marshall of Edmonton spent last week-end here at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Marshall.

Visiting with relatives at Irma last Sunday were Mrs. W. J. Beckman, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Smart and Gordie.

Mr. and Mrs. Sievert Nilson are leaving by plane this week for a holiday trip to Norway. They expect to arrive at their destination on Sunday. Their many friends at Irma wish them a most happy holiday.

The Evening Group of the W.A. will hold a Bake Sale at the Irma Co-op on Saturday, June 2 from 3 to 5 p.m.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Jack and family motored to Banff during the holiday week-end.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. F. Clumsted and family last Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Fredericks and children from Bruce.

The LETTER BOX

May 15, 1956

Irma Times:
The Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, Irma Lodge No. 366, will hold their Annual Barbecue and Picnic on Sunday, July 8. Watch for posters giving full particulars.

The Red Cross Blood Donor Service gave considerable publicity this past winter to the difficulty it was having in securing sufficient blood for the demands it was getting. Since the people of the Irma district always gave so generously to a Blood Donor Clinic when one was held in Irma, the Irma Lodge BPOE wrote and offered to sponsor a Clinic here. The Blood Donor Service was holding a clinic at Wainwright the last of May. The Lodge felt that one could be held at Irma at that time also.

We have just received word that the Blood Donor service has had to cancel the Wainwright Clinic, among others planned for this spring, and therefore cannot arrange for one at Irma at this season. However, they now plan on having Blood Donor Clinics throughout this area in the fall. The Irma Lodge BPOE Elks hope to aid in organizing a clinic here then.

Let each and everyone of us keep this in mind and whenever a Blood Donor service clinic can be organized in this community let us all give cheerfully. Who knows, when any one of us may need to call on the Red Cross for Blood or Plasma for ourselves, our families or our neighbors. If we are so fortunate as to never need this aid, let us be truly thankful and be glad that we can literally give life to some one who does need this aid.



FOR SALE—thirty weaner pigs 8 weeks old. Kuwica Bros., Irma, phone R611.

STRAYED—3 horses: 1 sorrel gelding, 1 black mare with white star on forehead; 1 two year old, colt, brown with white face. Apply Darwin Lambert. 25-1c

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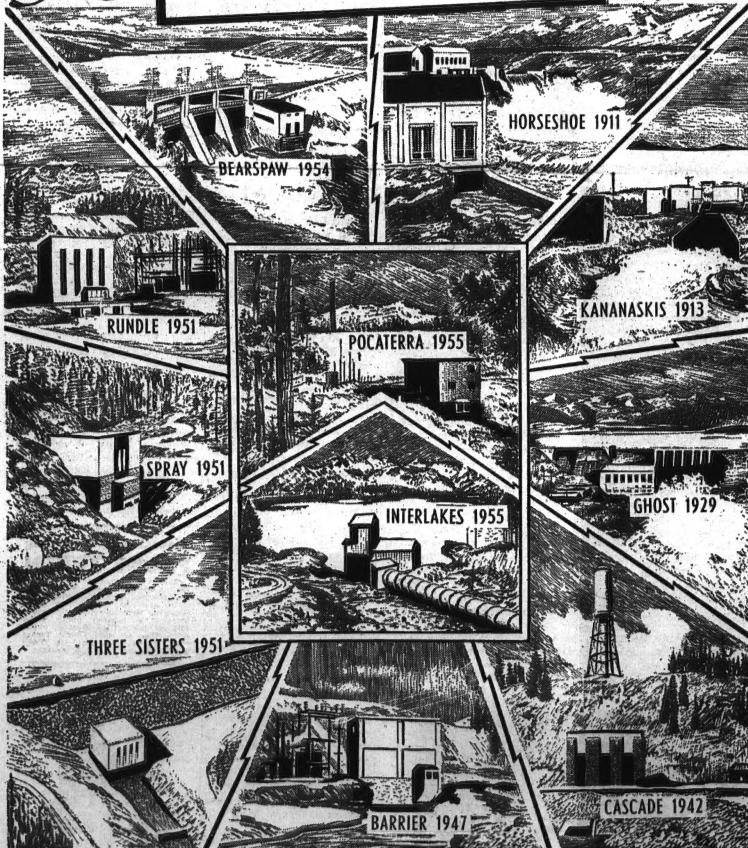
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